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LUSITANIA CASE IS CLEARING UP

President Will Lay Matter Before His Cabinet.

AMERICAN ATTITUDE SAME

German View, as Represented at Washington, Is That the Present Offer Goes as Far as Berlin Officials Consider Possible Towards Meeting Views of the United States.

Washington, Feb. 8.—President Wilson will take up with his cabinet the latest communication which Germany hopes will bring the negotiations over the Lusitania disaster to a termination satisfactory to the United States.

Official indication or announcement whether the offer of the Berlin government is satisfactory is expected soon thereafter.

The president did not request Secretary Lansing to come to the White House for a conference and the conference which had been planned did not materialize.

The secretary expects to discuss the latest proposal with the president and it is believed in Teutonic diplomatic circles that Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, may be summoned to the state department and informed of the decision of the United States.

Officials Are Optimistic.

Confidential advices received from high official quarters say expressions of optimism regarding the outcome of the negotiations, which have been heard in certain official and diplomatic circles are not without foundation.

Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee declared, after conferring with administration officials, that he believed the case is "practically settled."

It was authoritatively said at the state department that the position of the government in regard to the Lusitania case is identical with the position taken at the time the last note was dispatched to Germany.

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Germany has agreed that reprisals must not be directed against any other than enemy subjects.

TO PROBE PARLIAMENT FIRE

Canadian Premier and Leader of Opposition Each Selects a Man.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 8.—R. H. Pringle, K. C., and Judge MacTavish of Ottawa have been selected as the commissioners to investigate the fire which destroyed the Canadian parliamentary buildings.

They were chosen respectively by the premier and the parliamentary leader of the opposition and will make their own arrangements for opening the hearing.

BUELOW BACK IN LUCERNE

Prince Returns From Germany After Interview With Kaiser.

Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 8.—Prince von Buelow, the former German imperial chancellor, arrived at Lucerne from Berlin, where he recently had interviews with Emperor William and Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg.

German agents awaited the prince at Lucerne. The Swiss press is speculating on the object of his presence in Switzerland.

ENGLISH EXPORTS LEADING

Imports of Foodstuffs Grow \$18,750,000, Says Report.

London, Feb. 8.—The British board of trade figures for January show that imports increased by 7,702,000 pounds. Exports increased \$509,000 pounds.

The principal increases in imports were for foodstuffs, 3,750,000 pounds; raw material, 1,000,000 pounds, and chemical dyes, 1,000,000 pounds.

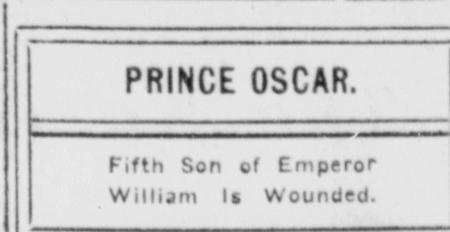
WOMAN SHOOTS MINISTER

North Texas Baptist Divine Probably Fatally Wounded.

Sherman, Tex., Feb. 8.—Rev. H. M. Cagle, a prominent North Texas Baptist minister, was shot and probably fatally wounded on the public square here by Mrs. Annie Faust, wife of Finis Faust, a prominent farmer, who lives near Denison, Tex.

Mrs. Faust was arrested immediately after the shooting, was later released on \$1,000 bond and returned home with her husband, who had been summoned after the shooting.

When arrested Mrs. Faust said, according to deputy sheriffs, that the minister had slandered her and she shot in revenge.



PRINCE OSCAR.

Fifth Son of Emperor William is Wounded.



KAISER'S SON IS WOUNDED

Prince Oscar of Prussia Injured by Shell Splinters.

Amsterdam, Feb. 8.—Prince Oscar of Prussia, fifth son of Emperor William, has been slightly wounded in the head and on the upper part of the thigh by shell splinters during the fighting in the eastern theater of war, according to a Berlin report received here.

ALLIED CRUISERS PATROLING COAST

Newport News, Va., Feb. 8.—British shipmasters arriving here reported that two allied cruisers—one British and the other French—are patrolling the coast off the Virginia capes.

Since there is no probability that the German prize Appam will put to sea in the near future marine men take the presence of the warships to mean that the allied governments expect other prizes, captured by the mysterious German raider, to be brought to Hampton Roads.

SETTLERS FEAR OUTBREAK

Navajo Indians Threaten to Go on the Warpath.

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"I long unspeakably for peace."

GERMAN NAVY EXPECTED TO MAKE DASH MEET BRITISH IN NORTH SEA

German Marines Along Belgian Coast Withdrawn to Kiel—Persian Forces Defeat Russians—German Financiers will Stand by Government in Any Event—Russian Torpedo Boats Sunk 40 Turkish Sailing Vessels in Black Sea—Prince Oscar's Wounds are Only Slight.

Investment Clerk Pickett Confesses to Having Forged Name—United States and Armor Plate Manufacturers will Lock Horns—Lusitania Situation Looks Hopeful—Statue of Minnesota's First Governor is Unveiled in Washington—Col. House Creates Good Impression in Europe.

Vice President Marshall will not Receive Favorable Mention—Clarendon, Nebraska, Faces Typhoid Fever Epidemic—David Lloyd George will Succeed Kitchener if he is Sent to Egypt—Memorandum in Lusitania Case Indicates Concessions by Germany.

WANT NAVAL BATTLE IN THE NORTH SEA

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 8—Dispatches from The Hague say the German marines along the Belgian coast are being withdrawn to Kiel and there will join the German navy for an expected dash into the North Sea to meet the British naval forces. It is confidentially hoped here that this is true as the people want the German-British naval battle to occur on the North Sea.

DAVID LLOYD GEORGE KITCHENER'S SUCCESSOR

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 8—David Lloyd George is mentioned as Kitchener's successor if Kitchener is transferred to Egypt. Sir William Robert Robertson has taken over Kitchener's most important task, that of directing all military preparations.

SANK FORTY VESSELS

Paris, Feb. 8—The dispatches say the Russian torpedo boats sank 40 Turkish sailing vessels in the Black Sea, and bombarded three naval construction yards along the Anatolian coast.

German Battleship May Have Taken Appam; Armed Guard on Liner

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Mrs. Fred Cram, sister of Judge A. W. Uhl, returned today to her home in Arizona after an extended visit with her brother and mother in Crosby.

Miss Mary Bacon has been sick a week. Wm. Bamberg, of Crosby, was in the city.

For Spring Water Phone 264. If John Krekelberg went to St. Louis this afternoon.

B. L. Dower, of Wadena, was in the city today.

Lester Erickson came from Deerwood this noon.

Attorney F. E. Ebner went to Aitkin this afternoon.

Miss Anna Schiel went to the Twin Cities this afternoon.

Mrs. Ed. Ledoux, of Little Falls, visited in the city today.

Regular Meeting CHAMBER OF COMMERCE And Smoke Social Wed., Feb. 9, 1916 8 P. M.

Mayor Ed Krueger, of Ironton, arrived in the city this noon.

Markus Grande of Barrows, went to manganese this afternoon.

Fred Reid, former sheriff of the county, was in the city today.

Glasses properly fitted, Dr. Long, 2911f

Mrs. Prosper Arnold returned this afternoon from a visit in Staples.

Miss Bessie Wieland is the guest of Mrs. Wolford B. Cook of Crosby.

P. G. Schrader, real estate man of Pequot, was in the city on business.

Thomas Keating, of Minneapolis, was in the city on his way to Deerwood.

Use the Dispatch want ads to advertise your rooms, flats and houses for rent.

Suits and overcoats at money-saving prices at the H. W. Linnemann store—Advt. 21012

The Folsom Music Co. reports the sale of a large number of Edison phonographs.

Representative Edward R. Syverson of Ironton, returned today from a trip to St. Paul.

Mrs. May Young and daughter, Miss Ruth Young, of Staples, were guests of Mrs. L. A. Bacon.

Peter Umhofer, of Moneck, Mont., is expected tomorrow as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Ernst.

Miss Ida Jaeger, nurse at St. Mary's hospital in Duluth, surprised her parents by visiting them this morning.

After Monday, Feb. 7 Gardner's auditorium will be for rent, \$10 per night. Floor will be resurfaced, making it the finest dance floor in the city. Inquire of A. Falconer, 20745

The clearance sale of suits and overcoats at the H. W. Linnemann store offers a splendid opportunity to buy clothes cheaply. Seasonable goods at unheard of low prices—Advt. 21012

Secretary Hansing, of the Chamber of Commerce, has so far recovered from his recent illness from pneumonia as to be removed from the hospital to his home Sunday. Mr. Hansing's many friends will be pleased to learn that he is on the high road to recovery and that it is now only a question of days before he will be allowed to come down town, even if only for a short time. In conversation over the phone this morning with the Dispatch the gentleman was in a very pleasant mood and suggested that possibly some of his many friends might not recognize him as he had separated himself from 35 pounds of real good flesh since his illness, but that if he was allowed to "feed" as often and as long as his inclination called it would not take him long to regain his usual weight.

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Tipping as the Last Resort.

A protest is being made against the exaction of "tips" by the servants in public schools. There are few of us capable of regarding "tipping" so philosophically as Lord William Russell, who, on his way to the scaffold, asked the minister in attendance what tip he ought to give the executioner.—London Standard.

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Johnston, A. M. 1.50

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FOR RENT—Barn, cheap, 722 So. Broadway.

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20116

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 609 Kingwood St. Board if desired.

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FOR SALE—Horse, sled, wagon, two sets single express harness. C. Katz. 2071t

FOR SALE—Five room house and two lots, 708 South 5th St. Inquire 710 South 7th St. 20516p

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy, cutter and harness, if taken at once will be sold at a bargain. Mrs. Dr. Sykora. 2091t

FOR SALE—144 acres land in sections 32 and 33, town 135, range 28, 3-4 mile lake front. A. N. Tingleaf, P. O. Box 219, Altona, Ill. 204120p

FOR SALE—Three heifer calves, two to four months old, and two steers three months old. Snap if taken at once. G. T. Baker, Route 2, Phone 405. 20616

First and Second Thoughts.

In matters of conscience first thoughts are best; in matters of prudence last thoughts are best.

Buried Alive.

In the early history of Japan it was

decidedly a dubious honor to be closely

related to any person of note, for one

of the laws at that time decreed that

when a person of rank or importance

died all immediate relatives must be

buried alive in a perpendicular pos-

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and thus they remained until welcome

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WOMAN'S REALM

VISITING NURSE IS KEPT BUSY

Made Over 80 Visits in January. Says Associated Charities Report at Monday Meeting

BABY SHOW PLANNED IN MARCH

Financial Condition of the Associated Charities Very Good—Receipts of Charity Ball

The regular meeting of the executive committee of the Associated Charities was held Monday evening. The reports received showed that there are many calls for help at present due to the continued cold weather, and that the association is meeting these calls promptly and effectively. During the month of January the visiting nurse made over eighty visits, including visits to all the schools. Many of these were in cases where there was sickness and much need for instruction as to the proper care to be taken.

The visiting nurse has also made a preliminary survey of the school situation, and is taking up with the parents the need of having defects such as weak eyes and defective hearing tended at once before serious and permanent injury to the child results.

Through the efforts of the Associated Charities a boy was clothed and otherwise equipped to be sent to the state institution at Faribault, and was taken there last week by the visiting nurse. It is probable that there will be several more of these cases to be taken care of soon. This is a splendid work, and of great benefit to the children affected as well as to the community.

Plans are being laid to hold a baby show in connection with the National Baby Week which comes early in March. Judging from first reports the Brainerd babies are anxious to try conclusions with any babies in the world in any kind of a contest which may be arranged. The co-operation of all the women's organizations especially is asked so that Baby Week may be of great profit to all the community.

In addition to the usual relief work, the women of the association are working constantly getting clothing and shoes for the various needy cases in our city, and there is very seldom a case of this sort presented which cannot be supplied in a very short time.

The financial condition of the organization is very good just at present. The charity ball given by the Chamber of Commerce swelled the treasury to the amount of \$266, the gross proceeds being given to the association through the kindness of the Knights of Columbus in donating the hall, and of the Chamber of Commerce in assuming the other bills. It is due to the splendid work of the committee from the Musical club in selling tickets that the amount realized is so large.

Any one wishing the services of the visiting nurse can reach her by telephone over the Northwestern system at her office in the city hall from 9 to 9:30 in the morning and from 4:30 to 5 in the afternoon. The

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If your Back is aching or Bladder bothers, drink lots of water and eat less meat.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Miss Mondschine is the sister of Mrs. B. Magoffin, Jr., of Deerwood.

number is 583. This phone is generously donated by the company. There is also a Northwestern telephone at the home of the nurse, the number being 78-L.

Donant-Cummins

At St. Francis Catholic church this morning was solemnized the wedding of Miss Clara L. Donant and John J. Cummins. Promptly at 9:00 o'clock the bride entered the church, meeting the groom and proceeded to the altar and there were united in the bonds of holy matrimony.

The bride was gowned in a traveling suit of brown velvet with picture hat to match and wore a corsage bouquet of lilies of the valley and orchids. She was attended by her sister, Miss Eva Donant, who was gowned in a suit of blue corduroy and wore a corsage bouquet of violets and orchids.

The groom was attended by his brother, J. A. Cummins, both being dressed in the usual dark colors.

The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Donant and has spent the greater part of her life in Brainerd and has for the past eight years been assistant cashier of the Citizens State bank of Brainerd.

The groom has made his home in Brainerd for the past 20 years and is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. J. Cummins and has for many years been a trusted employee of the Northern Pacific railway company and at present is the chief clerk of the supply department.

The happy couple left today noon for points south to enjoy a short honeymoon and after a sojourn of a few weeks will return to Brainerd to make their home here.

GARDENS FOR THE CHILDREN

Pleasant Occupation These Wintry Days is Planning of Summer Gardens

To many it may seem unnecessarily early to speak at this time of gardening, when frost is deep in the ground and when the snow is not only high but more to come before melting sets in. However, now is the time to examine seed catalogues and to plan your garden on paper, to look over your own seed supply and the bulbs which stored away last fall, and then decide what new things will be needed.

But what we have in mind most is to see a greater interest created in gardens for the children. Last year there was a creditable vegetable exhibit in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce by the children attending the schools, and a committee of amateur adult gardeners viewed the children's flower and vegetable gardens, the winner being given prizes in recognition of their efforts. We believe that garden contests are splendid and that they should be annual affairs. They can easily be made more instructive than they were last year, so it is hoped that an effort will again be made by the Chamber of Commerce and steps soon taken to develop a plan which will bring about a spirited and a widely enjoyed contest. To this effect the interest of the parents must be aroused, for it is they who must daily encourage their children once the garden is started.

Mondschine-Lewy Wedding

The marriage of Miss Rosalie Mondschine and Ernest Berwin Lewy of Memphis, Tenn., says the Duluth Herald, will take place at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 16, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. F. Mondschine, 228 North Fourteenth avenue east. Dr. Maurice Lefkovits will perform the ceremony. There will be no attendants.

Miss Mondschine is the sister of Mrs. B. Magoffin, Jr., of Deerwood.

Baptist Ladies' Aid

The ladies' aid of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. C. Miller, 501 North Fourth street on Wednesday afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

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WORLD'S FASHION NEWS

All About Laces—Coats for Women—Silk Bags are Favorites This Spring

A fad of the moment in Paris is the use of dyed laces. "Pink or blue" one naturally says. "Neither." Grey or brown, to match the color of the material with which they are used, is in vogue. There is something very charming about the use of these self-toned laces which appeals particularly to the fastidious woman.

Some one has very cleverly remarked that the slogan for spring is "Coats For Women." It will be distinctly a separate coat season and extremely effective are some of the new models which have been introduced. Sports coats are particularly smart, especially those in rather pronounced checks or plaids trimmed with either suede or glace leather.

Perhaps because of the scarcity of leather and perhaps just "because", silk bags are the favorites this spring, and many are the clever conceits which have been developed in this necessary and decorative adjunct to the custom. Almost all the couturiers have created distinct styles of their own. Lanvin, Premet, Paquin and the modistes Lucie Hamar and Odette as well as any number of the small shops of Paris are making them. Many of these exquisite trifles are made of faille and decorated with beads. Lucie Hamar makes a delightful bag in beads of two shades of blue. Dark blue beads are used along the outside, while the middle of the bag is of Wedgewood blue beads with a Wedgewood cameo set in a circle of dark beads in the very middle of the bag.

Fans of ruffled taffeta to match the frock are a fetching new conceit. A very lovely one with six ruffles of porcelain blue taffeta was mounted on sea green lacquered sticks and carried with a porcelain blue frock. Fans which do not fold but remain permanently spread are extremely smart. A very lovely one of this type is covered with a delicate cream colored lace, a frill of which

falls from the outer edge. It is dotted all over with tiny roses of pink and blue silk, and supported by thin gold sticks.

The Russian ballet which was the climax of the early theatrical season in Paris and which has now made its appearance in New York has brought out a new headdress. It is made by Reboux and consists of a turban of tulle and velvet or tulle and jet, close fitting—at ones compact in form and delicate in texture and extremely chie. Another smart headdress consists of a jet bandana higher on one side than on the other like the brim of a turban, and having a crown of close fitting black tulle with a pearl pin thrust in at one side.—From H. W. Gossard Co., courtesy H. F. Michael Co.

Philathea Class

The "Philathea Class" of the Swedish Baptist church, being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. S. Lind, met Friday evening, Feb. 4th. This was the annual business meeting and the following officers were elected:

President—Olive Hotchkiss.
Vice President—Selma Schelin.
Secretary—Ida Peterson.
Assistant Secretary—Mildred Peterson.

Treasurer—Olga Hagerberg.
Reporter—Ruth Johnson.
Teacher—Rev. A. B. Colvin.

Membership Committee—Lilly Johnson, Edna Torkelson, Ruth Peterson.

Sick Committee—Hildegarde Lindholm, Sigrid Lind, Esther Johnson.

Social Committee—Mabel Schelin, Hildegarde Torkelson, Esther Sundberg.

A Tip on Tips.

Dean Swift had something to say on tips in his ironical "Direction to Servants." To butlers he wrote, "If a gentleman has lain all night in the house get the cook, the housemaid, the stableman, the scullion and the gardener to accompany you, and stand in his way in the hall in a line."—London Standard.

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EXPERIENCE BEST TEACHER

The Swanville News in summing up the situation in the Sixth congressional district says:

It has been truly said "experience is the best teacher." The average business man or farmer if confronted with the necessity of solving a knotty legal problem or filling a contract for a large amount of cordwood would employ a lawyer of ripe experience or a sawyer, not a novice fresh from the academic halls of a college or a sweet voiced singer. What is true of the individual business is no less true of the public's business and sadly has experience taught the American voter the folly of entrusting his business to inexperienced representatives. The value of experience as a teacher is vividly brought home to the Republicans of the Sixth congressional district this year. In 1902 and again in 1904 the wisdom of the choice of the voters of the Sixth district was clearly shown in the accounting made by C. B. Buckman during his two terms in congress. The results he obtained were remarkable. He did not attempt to electrify nations with flights of oratory. He did, however, go to work to promote and care for the interests of the people who sent him to congress. His four years of experience especially fit him to return to the national body. He is fully equipped to cope with the big questions of the day, never for a moment losing sight of the needs of his constituents. He is a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket this year and his nomination and election will insure the district a representative who knows how and who will get results.

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HELP SAVE THE GAME BIRDS

State Game and Fish Department Sends Out an Appeal on Behalf of the Feathered Tribe

Carlos Avery, of the Game and Fish Commission has sent the following circular letter broadcast throughout the state, and it is hoped the appeal will have the desired effect:

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Now that the matter of trackage is settled it is expected that work on the new gas plant will be pushed to completion as soon as spring opens. The St. Cloud gentlemen who appeared before the council last evening and who have been gathering data in the city for some days expressed themselves as well pleased over the prospects and assured the people of Brainerd that the plant would be in operation by July 1st. It now seems that the long expected advent of a gas plant in Brainerd is to become a reality.

Bob Dunn, in his Princeton Union, predicts the nomination of C. B. Buckman, for congress on the republican ticket at the coming primaries. The Union says:

There are several candidates for the republican congressional nomination in the Sixth district, but the old battle-scarred political veteran, C. B. Buckman, seems to be in the lead. Harold Knutson has quite a following in the three southeastern counties of the district, but Mr. Buckman has fighting friends in every township of the shoe string aggregation of counties from the Rainy Lake river to the confines of Minneapolis-Princeton Union.

We are in receipt of wedding cards announcing the marriage of James Crosser Morrison to Miss Edna Murphy, of Madison, S. D., on Feb. 2d. President "Jim" is publisher of the Morris Tribune and the presiding officer of the Minnesota Editorial association, and his many newspaper friends throughout the state and northwest will extend congratulations over the happy event to Mr. and Mrs. Morrison. This is the jubilee year of the editorial association of which Mr. Morrison is president and it is a fitting climax to the occasion of which Editor Morrison will be one of the central figures.

Investment Clerk Confesses Forgery

(By United Press)

Announcement is made in the Hubbard County Journal that M. J. Wooley, who has been prominently mentioned in connection with the republican nomination for congress from this district, has decided for business reasons not to enter the field as a candidate. Mr. Wooley is one of the bright young attorneys of the northern part of the state, is attorney for Hubbard county and has a wide acquaintance of staunch friends and admirers who stood ready to back his candidacy in the event that he decided to make the race, and he would have been a factor of no mean proportion in the senatorial situation of this district if he had decided to make the contest. Mr. Wooley's friends, however, after a thorough canvas of the situation and looking at it from all angles are of the opinion that his decision not to press his candidacy at this time is a wise one, as he is a young man and is losing none of his prestige by so doing. The Hubbard County Journal, published at Park Rapids, and whose editor is Mr. Wooley's warm personal friend, is supporting Hon. C. B. Buckman since the withdrawal of Mr. Wooley from the field of candidates, has the following to say regarding Mr. Wooley's withdrawal:

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In our estimation, and we know this is shared by all who enjoy his acquaintance, Mr. Woolley is the peer of any candidate mentioned for this high honor, and we feel safe in making the prediction that the voters of this congressional district will be given the opportunity in the near future to pass on his merits as a live wire in the political arena.

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Corn fields, weed thickets and other sources of food supply are being buried under the drifts and starvation may be the fate of many birds, though such an impending disaster may be in a large measure averted by searching out the location of beavers of quail and placing food for them in accessible and sheltered places and in improving natural shelters.

Even prairie chickens may suffer starvation from the same cause, though not in the same degree as the quail as the latter are less hardy and less able to care for themselves and cope with rigorous weather conditions. Chinese pheasants, a few of which are established in certain localities, require attention and care. Ruffed grouse, on account of protection afforded by the forests and their habitats, are best able to cope with severe weather and are probably in no serious danger from this cause.

Game wardens have been instructed to give as much attention as possible to this situation during the next few weeks. They are instructed to search out the location of quail and prairie chickens and endeavor to interest people in the vicinity in feeding and caring for them if they require it. When not possible to secure the co-operation of farmers and others they are authorized to secure and place suitable food in accessible places for the birds and to incur such necessary expense as is incident to this work. Sheaves of grain are well suited to this purpose and the sweepings from barns containing a variety of seeds of weeds and grasses are excellent if properly distributed and placed. Wheat, oats, barley and buckwheat may be scattered in loose straw.

The lives of many of our winter insectivorous birds may also be saved by erecting feeding stations and bird lunch counters and keeping them supplied with seeds, meat scraps, suet, etc.

The interest and co-operation of individuals, bird clubs, sportsmen's clubs, farmers' clubs, editors, schools and other agencies is earnestly solicited, as it is better to try to save the birds we now have rather than face the necessity of attempting to restock depleted covers, particularly in view of the fact that wild game birds are now unobtainable anywhere for purposes of propagation owing to non-export laws.

Probable continuation of the present weather conditions for some time render this matter urgent and worthy the attention and interest of all.

PNEUMONIA—ITS CAUSE

Bulletin Issued by the United States Public Health Service Which Can be Read With Profit

St. Paul, Feb. 8.—R. C. Pickit, discharged clerk of the State Investment Board, confessed that he had forged state warrants and had placed them into circulation since 1913, aggregating \$22,000, and that all had been made good. He implicates State Treasurer Smith and alleges the forgeries were made with his knowledge.

Ten per cent of the deaths in the United States result from pneumonia.

It is estimated that during the past thirty days this rate has been doubled in some sections. Tuberculosis and heart disease, each causing one-ninth of all fatalities, are the only diseases which outrank pneumonia among the legion of the men of death, but in certain cities pneumonia is steadily increasing and even has surpassed the mortality from tuberculosis. Seventy per cent of all cases occur between December and May. It is distinctly a cold weather infection, seemingly brought by wintry blasts, but especially prevalent during the winter season only because its victims are rendered more susceptible at that time by exposure, debilitating influences and the presence of predisposing infections.

Pneumonia principally affects those at the extremes of life, but no age is exempt. It is invariably a germ disease. The predisposing and exciting organisms are so numerous that it would be futile to attempt their enumeration. Many of them are constantly present in the mouths and throats of healthy persons and it is only through the aid which we unwittingly extend to them that they are transformed from harmless organisms to one of man's most powerful enemies.

The presence of other diseases is the great predisposing cause of pneumonia. They prepare the soil for invasion. Holding first rank in this category is influenza, the increased incidence of pneumonia at this time being largely due to the present epidemic of lagripe. Individuals suffering from this infection are peculiarly susceptible to respiratory complications and should properly observe every hygienic rule.

Inflammation of the upper air passages, pharyngitis, bronchitis, and tonsillitis, often predispose to the development of the disease, particularly among the aged and infirm. The acute contagious diseases of childhood, more especially measles and whooping cough, frequently prepare the way for pneumonia. Anyone who through neglect or carelessness permits the spread of these infections is therefore open to the severest condemnation. Exhausting disease of whatever nature, is often sufficient to so reduce our resistance that we are unable to cope with organisms which should be easily overcome, and hence predisposes to the infection.

Debility, either temporary or chronic, developing from any cause, increases susceptibility. Because of this the disease most often attacks those at the extremes of life. Among debilitating influences must be mentioned cold, exposure to penetrating winds, and the chilling of body surfaces as a result of wetting. The combination of lack of food and fatigue proves particularly disastrous during the winter season and is a condition to be avoided whenever possible. Bad housing, mental or physical harassment, and overwork are alike the advance agents of the infection. Over-crowding, in street cars, theatres, and other public places, is unquestionably

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COUNCIL HAS LONG SESSION

Follows New Rule and Considers Bills in Committee Meeting at 7:30 o'clock

REGULAR SESSION AT 8 O'CLOCK

Trackage Ordinance Permitting Gas Company to Cross Laurel Street Adopted Unanimously

The council on Monday evening put into practice its new rule and commenced its session at 7:30 o'clock at which time bills were considered by committees. The regular session opened at 8 o'clock and then continued to shortly after 11 o'clock.

The most important business considered was the trackage ordinance which was adopted without a dissenting vote, all aldermen being present, and which gives the Light & Power Co. and Northern Pacific railway the right to cross Laurel street with a continuation of the spur track now passing the flour mill and extending to the site of the proposed gas plant.

The city attorney maintained that some compensation should be named for the use of the street as provided by statute and \$1 was designated. J. Bemis, general manager of the Light & Power Co., thanked the council for the consideration shown the company and stated that material would be on the ground as soon as the frost was out of the ground. The best gas plant known was to be built. They wanted to boost Brainerd and make it twice its size.

Accompanying Mr. Bemis was C. D. Grinnells of St. Cloud and H. G. Williams. Mr. Williams has had much experience in the manufacture of gas, having been with the United Gas Improvement Co. of Philadelphia and the American Gas Co. of the same city. He has put in the past ten years with gas companies. He will have charge of the gas plant in St. Cloud, Brainerd, Sauk Rapids and East St. Cloud.

W. H. Onstine, the city assessor, was present and the fixing of his salary for this year was brought up. This season he assesses realty and personal property. City Attorney Haggard ruled that the present was not the proper time to set the salary, that it was to be at a meeting in May as designated in the charter.

President Anton Mahlum of the Boosters club, presented to the council as representing the city of Brainerd a fine flag to be attached to the flag staff on the city hall. On motion of Alderman Benson, seconded by Alderman Haake, a unanimous vote of thanks was extended the Boosters club for their thoughtfulness and generosity.

President Mahlum of the Boosters asked the council for the use of the council chambers on the second and fourth Fridays of the month and the request of the Boosters was acceded to.

Chief of Police Henry Squires' communication asked if there was an ordinance prohibiting the shoveling of snow from roofs into alleys and streets. He claimed some alleys had been blocked that no fire truck could get through them. It was referred to the city attorney.

City Clerk Mahlum read his report on the cost of taking care of the poor and stated the town system was proving more expensive than the old county system.

In the allowance of bills of the fire department, Alderman Turcotte brought up one call, a false alarm, and said the firemen knew the young men who had telephoned there was

a fire on North Seventh street and who had the nerve to ring the fire bell themselves. The cost \$4.50, the aldermen decided, would be a good thing to be borne by the jokers and the city attorney was given instructions to get the names and proceed to collect.

To the city attorney was referred an item in the bill of D. M. Clark & Co., relating to the burial of Ole Berg.

Alderman Benson brought up a proposition to have street intersections assessed against abutting owners, distributing it about \$25 per lot. He maintained that at present there was no money on hand to pay for street intersection paving and the adoption of an amendment such as he proposed would make possible the paving of Seventh, Eighth, Third and other streets, on which had been collected tax money for paving. The matter was taken into consideration by the whole council. It is an important step and some action must be taken and soon on the proposition of Alderman Benson. An amendment, said Alderman Benson, can be voted on at the June primary election.

City Clerk Mahlum brought up the status of the electric light bonds, of which the city had paid some \$11,000 and the water and light board \$30,000. With both departments

on the bonds, he considered it was superfluous action on the part of the city and there might be a refund to offset the indebtedness claimed by the water and light department as owing from the city.

City Attorney Haggard reported that former City Clerk V. N. Roderick had paid \$63.15 to the city, reimbursing it for money paid out by him by mistake to the wrong party in a garnishment proceeding against the city in which Brockway & Parker had sued one Dougherty, a former employee of the city.

Baldwin Brothers, who furnished the electric fire alarm system, reported that the trouble was in the batteries.

The petition from West Brainerd residents asking for the installation of three arc lights in West Brainerd, at Florence and Fourth streets, Florence and Sixth streets, Cora and Fifth streets, was read and referred to the electric light committee to take up with the water and light board.

The council was waited upon by a committee from the Chamber of Commerce, Carl Zapffe, Dr. Werner Hemstead and Carl Adams, and concurred in the resolution presented, that of establishing the ditches as designated by act of congress between Gull and Round, and Round and Long lakes. The resolution had previously been favorably acted on by the Chamber of Commerce, Boosters club and county commissioners.

There was presented a petition from the county board asking for the vacation of Fourth street between Maple and Laurel streets, the east half of block 63 and the west half of block 65 forming the site for the proposed new county jail and sheriff's residence.

To rebuild the general sewer of the city from the Maple street to the river, said City Engineer D. C. Peacock, in answer to Alderman Benson's query, will cost approximately \$45,000. These figures were not definite. They were simply a rough estimate.

Alderman Haake reported applications for poor relief from two women of Northeast Brainerd who had been deserted by their husbands. City Attorney Haggard said he did not believe deserted women can command any benefits under the pension act.

The cases were referred to the poor committee with power to act.

Alderman Morrison reported that

shutting off the arc lights at 1 o'clock in the morning effected a saving of \$113 a month.

Alderman Turcotte reported that the fire hall floor needed repairing. It was referred to the committee on city property and the city engineer.

City Clerk Anton Mahlum gave his report of receipts and disbursements for the month of January, 1916:

RECEIPTS.

Pool table license.....	\$ 15.00
Court fees.....	45.25
Court fines.....	95.00
Interest on daily balances.....	82.93
Scale rent.....	4.17
Assignment fees.....	10
Donation for 13th street paving.....	118.00
Sale of sewer warrants.....	316.20
Total.....	\$676.65

DISBURSEMENTS (City Expenses)

Officers salaries.....	\$368.58
Janitor.....	45.00
Coal.....	203.13
Publishing.....	6.80
Court record.....	17.41
Receipt books for treasurer.....	36.00
Teamster and labor.....	82.06
Phone rental.....	8.00
Stationery clerk's office.....	3.15
Various supplies.....	26.92
Miscellaneous.....	2.96
Total.....	\$799.11

Police Protection—

salary of force.....	\$280.00
Table for police office.....	20.00

Total.....

\$300.00

Fire protection—

Fire chief's salary..... \$ 25.00

Fire truck drivers..... 130.00

Volunteer firemen..... 60.50

Coal..... 48.79

Ice..... 11.90

Chains and repairs to fire truck..... 25.17

Various supplies..... 13.46

Total.....

\$314.82

Support or poor..... \$105.32

Library..... 36.50

Sewer warrants redeemed..... 1280.63

Sewer warrants coupons re-deemed..... 221.41

Revolving fund Acct. paving Kingwood street..... 5.38

Sewer construction..... 2723.52

Sinking fund commissioners..... 758.48

Miscellaneous.....

Witness fees..... 2.24

General sewer..... 26.83

Water & Light board tax call..... 204.19

Horse shoeing..... 4.00

Park board..... 19.90

Total..... \$6802.33

STUDY CHURCH CONDITIONS

Local Committees of Norwegian-Danish Lutheran Church Confer With Rev. J. W. Preus

SPECIAL MEETINGS BEING HELD

Pastors From Minneapolis, Fergus Falls, Pequot, Pine River are Participating

The special meetings at the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will be continued this evening at 7:30 p.m.

The subject for consideration will be "The Lord's Supper," the Rev. Chr. Anderson of Minneapolis leading the discussion. The other pastors participating are the Revs. J. W. Preus of Minneapolis and D. J. Grove of Fergus Falls, together with the local pastor, C. Hougstad.

The following laymen from the Pequot and Pine River country are in attendance: O. T. Olsen, Mads Anderson, E. Gravdal, Matt Anderson, John Holten, P. O. M. Anderson. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Local committees met with the Rev. J. W. Preus this morning, who is a member of the Minnesota district house mission committee, for the purpose of acquainting him with church conditions in the territory covered by the pastor, C. Hougstad, with ultimate improvements in view.

ORE ROYALTIES NOT TAXABLE

Supreme Court Decision in Royal Mineral Association so States—

Decision of Local Interest

Iron ore royalties cannot be taxed as "money and credits" according to a decision of the supreme court Saturday involving the attempt of St. Louis county officials to tax the Royal Mineral association in the manner stated.

In district court a judgment was ordered for \$107.18 in favor of the taxing officials on a valuation of \$35,726.51.

The syllabus follows:

1. Instruments called mining leases involved in this action are leases in fact as well as in name, and the amounts stipulated to be paid by the leases are rents.

2. Unaccrued rents are not personal property. They are incorporated hereditaments. They are incident to the reversion and follow the land. Though separable from the land, they are, until such separation, part of the land.

3. Our statutes provide for the separate assessment of real and personal property. By the terms of the statutes, real property includes the land and all privileges thereto belonging; credits include every claim and demand for money and every sum of money receivable at stated periods, due or to become due. Credits are, however, personal property and they include only such demands as are classed as personalty. The term does not include unaccrued rents to issue out of land.

4. Rents due in July for the period from April 1 to July 1, are not taxable as credits May 1.

Judgment reversed.

The opinion was written by Justice Oscar Hallam.

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Dr. Syntax.

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Sons of Butchers.

Three of the stained glass windows in the hall of the Butcher guild, London, contain the portraits of Cardinal Wolsey, William Shakespeare and Daniel Defoe in recognition of their connection with the meat trade.

The cardinal was the son of a "respectable" butcher at Ipswich, in Suffolk, and the "immortal bard" assisted while young a butcher in his native town of Stratford-on-Avon.

Defoe, nowadays known as the author of "Robinson Crusoe," but in his day an adventurer and secret agent of his government, was the son of a butcher in Fores street and a member of the guild.—London Mail.

Largest Meteorite.

The largest meteorite stone actually known to have fallen to earth weighed 137 pounds.

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JAMES R. NUGENT.

New Jersey Democratic Leader Is Ill From Nervous Breakdown.



Photo by American Press Association.

DEED OF REJECTED SUITOR

Kills Successful Rival and Woman Who Refused Him.

New York, Feb. 8.—Margaret McNeel and one of her two suitors are dead because she rejected one who had been twice before married.

Oscar Johnson, the man she was to have married, following the rejection of Herbert Shadler, was instantly killed and Miss McNeel was fatally wounded by Shadler, who waylaid them in a hallway on their return from a theater.

Four Stockmen Killed in Wreck.
Chicago, Feb. 8.—Four stockmen riding in the rear of an extra freight on the Northwestern railroad were killed in a rear end collision two miles from Dunlap. A defect in the air-brake of the first train is believed to have caused the accident.

Students Burn Street Car.
South Bend, Ind., Feb. 8.—Norte Dame students, in a demonstration against the street car company, destroyed by fire one of the company's cars, after forcing the motorman and conductor to leave their posts and return to the city.

Train Plunges Into River.
Vincennes, Ind., Feb. 8.—Two trainmen were killed when the engine and tender of a Big Four passenger train plunged into the Wabash river.

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HUGHES MAY NOT ACCEPT.

Leaders See Little Hope of Inducing the Supreme Court Justice to Allow His Name to Be Considered and Will Not Support Any One Whom Roosevelt Would Name.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Feb. 8.—[Special.]—Quite a number of Republicans are convinced that Roosevelt is really a candidate for the Republican nomination. In fact, they know from their talk with leading Progressives that these men will be at Chicago with a considerable show of strength and with a demand that Roosevelt or some one named by Roosevelt shall be nominated by the Republicans; otherwise progressive opposition is threatened.

As it simmers down now it means Roosevelt, for these same progressive leaders feel that they have assurance that when it comes to close quarters Justice Hughes is going to make it plain that he will not allow his name to be used in connection with the nomination. With Hughes out the Roosevelt list is narrowed to Johnson of California and perhaps some other man who will not be possible for the Republicans. The upshot of it all will be, "Take Roosevelt or we will not support your nominee."

Will Not Be Nominated.

The best guess now is that Roosevelt will not be nominated by the Republicans. The anti-Roosevelt men control the national committee. They are going to see to the election of delegates who will not go to Roosevelt. They have two reasons. One is that they do not believe he can be elected, and the other is that they don't want him elected.

"Better four more years of Wilson than of Roosevelt," they say. "The party would be in worse shape if Roosevelt was elected than if the Democrats win. If he wants to go out and defeat a good man, elect Wilson, whom he has so severely condemned. We can't help that. We are not going to allow him to name our candidate nor force us to elect him again."

"Adequate" a Compromise.

We are not going to have the word "adequate," as applied to the navy, accurately defined by the legislation of this congress. "Adequate" will turn out to be a compromise. It will be a compromise between those who demand many ships and cruisers and the "little navy" men. It appears that the senate is going to be more liberal than the house and so far as that body can make it "adequate" will mean a large navy.

"Fresh Democrats."

Congressman Sims knows about the trouble which Democrats have with the constitution and finally how they yield to the demand to secure money from the federal treasury. Congressman Gordon of Ohio expressed doubt as to whether the United States had the power to appropriate money for roads. He thought it was unconstitutional, which moved the Tennessee man to remark:

"I have great sympathy for my friend. Like all fresh Democrats when they come into this house, they have trouble with the constitution of the United States. They all do at first."

Sims has often felt the prick of constitutional conscience, but he has been able to overcome most of the repugnance he felt to appropriating money, particularly when his section was getting its share.

Enjoying Surprises.

Congressman Scott of Michigan found a report signed by Martin Madden of Illinois in which he had favored a certain road proposition, but Madden had just made a speech on the opposite side. "His remarks were something surprising to me," said Scott. "Of course, having been a member of this congress only fifty days, I realize that I have not enjoyed all of the surprises that await me."

Flopsters as Leaders.

When Martin Dies of Texas made his speech on flopsters and added an interesting word to the political literature of the day he read from a newspaper a paragraph saying that Mann had become the real leader of this most important movement for national defense. Dies showed what Mann's previous attitude had been and said:

"Thereby all previous flopsters are relegated to the rear. And this is made the true slogan of leadership: He who makes the latest flop shall lead us all."

Republicans Can't Complain.

"We can't complain," said Congressman Steenerson of Minnesota, "when we see the Democrats reversing themselves upon the question of national defense. They are doing what we have advocated and are really playing into our hands."

Ten Years' Restriction.

Congressman Gardner of Massachusetts, who will do his utmost to put through the immigration law with its literacy restriction provision, would go much further than that if he could secure favorable action. "I would like to see ten years of absolute restriction," said Gardner, "and we could then see what would be the effect."

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HOUSE APPROVES
TWO NAVY BILLS

Plans for National Defense Obliterate Party Lines.

OPPOSITION DODGES RECORD

One Measure Adds Three Hundred Midshipmen to the Entering Class at Annapolis and the Other Is to Equip New Yards for Construction of Two New Battleships.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Speaker Clark and Republican Leader Mann fought side by side in the house for adequate national defense. With party lines obliterated most of the members followed their leaders and two navy bills passed without a dissenting vote.

One, to provide for adding 300 midshipmen to the entering class at Annapolis next July, passed 175 to 6, and the other, to equip navy yards for construction of battleships Numbers 43 and 44, passed without a roll call.

Mr. Mann tried to put the anti-preparedness advocates on record by calling for division on the naval academy bill, but there were no negative votes.

The appearance of Speaker Clark on the floor to champion preparedness measures aroused wide interest. Rumors persisted that he would take active charge of the fight to increase the army and navy. Majority Leader Kitchin having joined the opposition.

Immediate improvement of the navy by designing new battleships along

the lines of the best now in use, doubling the membership of both Annapolis and West Point, creation of many additional regiments for the army and short term enlistments to produce a reserve, were among suggestions made by the speaker.

He said he expected to discuss the subject of preparedness generally soon.

Mr. Mann reiterated his previous plea for a larger army and navy and aided in maneuvering the bills to passage.

"This is not the time for crimination and recrimination," he said. "It is not the time to find fault with that which has been. It is the time for all to join hands for that which has come."

CLAIM WARRANT FOR
\$18,000 IS FORGED

St. Paul, Feb. 8.—J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, and W. J. Stevenson, assistant attorney general, submitted information to R. D. O'Brien, Ramsey county attorney, about the irregular handling of a warrant drawn against the state permanent trust fund for \$18,000 in favor of the treasurer of school district No. 46 of Aitkin county.

The warrant was drawn by R. C. Pickle, clerk of the investment board in the auditor's office, executed by Claude S. Brown, deputy auditor, and cashed in the office of Walter J. Smith, state treasurer. Mr. O'Brien was told that the school treasurer's name was forged.

The information given Mr. O'Brien, it is understood, will be submitted to the Ramsey county grand jury Thursday. Mr. O'Brien declined to comment on the conference and his possible action.

Polo is an oriental game of antiquity which, it is claimed, can be traced back to 600 B. C.

TACOMA FRANCHISE IS VOID

Twenty-five-Year Grant to Car Company Annulls.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—Annulment of a twenty-five-year franchise of the Tacoma Railway and Power company was upheld by the United States circuit court of appeals in a decision affirming the holding of the federal district court.

The city of Tacoma gave a permit for limited lighting service in 1905, which it revoked in 1913. Upon the company's refusal to discontinue selling electricity for lighting the franchise granted in 1905 was annulled.

ALL DEPENDS ON LEVEES

Flood Situation in Arkansas Is Becoming Brighter.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 8.—Although Arkansas City and Lake Village, in Southeastern Arkansas, both are submerged in the great lake formed by flood waters pouring through broken Arkansas river levees, and are threatened with destruction should the Mississippi river levees break, the situation is reported more hopeful.

At Arkansas City it is believed the levee will withstand a Mississippi river stage of 57.5 feet. The prediction for 57 feet.

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